

## DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
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ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 86769-0010

As below named inventor(s), we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to our name(s).

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**DECISION SUPPORT AND WORK MANAGEMENT FOR  
SYNCHRONIZING LEARNING SERVICES**

the specification of which:

☒ is attached hereto; or☐ was filed as United States application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable); or

was filed as PCT international application Number \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended under PCT Article 19 on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office information which is material to the patentability of claims presented in this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

**PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S):**

COUNTRY (if PCT, indicate PCT)	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

We hereby claim the benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

**U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATIONS**

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We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) or § 365(c) of any PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to the patentability of claims presented in this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

**PRIOR U.S. APPLICATIONS OR PCT INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS DESIGNATING THE U.S. FOR BENEFIT:**

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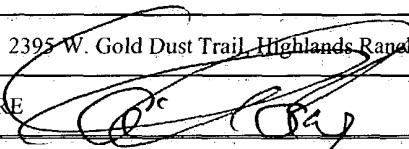
We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.


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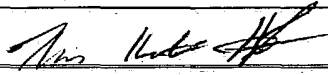
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**GRANT OF POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE,  
AND CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.36, 3.71 and 3.73(b), assignee, Accenture Global Services GmbH, hereby revokes all previous Powers of Attorney in the above patent application and hereby grants power of attorney to Celine Jimenez Crowson, Reg. No. 40,357 and the other registered practitioners included in the Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and direct that all correspondence be addressed to that Customer Number:

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b)**

Accenture Global Services GmbH, a Swiss corporation, certifies that it is:

1. ☒ The assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☐ an assignee of an undivided part interest in the patent application identified above

by virtue of Assignments from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. Copies of the signed assignment documents are attached hereto, and additional copies are also being filed concurrently herewith for recordation.

☐ Additional documents in the chain of title are listed on a supplemental sheet.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the Assignee.

Dated: 5/7/03

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS we, the below named inventors [hereinafter referred to as Assignors], have made an invention entitled:

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for which an application for United States Letters Patent is filed herewith;

AND WHEREAS, Accenture Global Services GmbH, a corporation of Switzerland, whose post office address is Geschäftshaus Herrenacker 15, 8200 Schaffhausen, Switzerland, [hereinafter referred to as Assignee], is desirous of securing the entire right, title and interest in and to this invention in all countries throughout the world, and in and to the application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration the receipt of which from assignee, is hereby acknowledged, we, as assignors, have sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the assignee, its lawful successors and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in and to this invention and this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, and all rights to claim priority on the basis of such application, and all applications for Letters patent which may hereafter be filed for this invention in any foreign country and all Letters Patent which may be granted on this invention in any foreign country, and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as described above, to issue all Letters Patent for this invention to assignee, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, WE HEREBY covenant that we have the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, and we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment;

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will, without further consideration, communicate with assignee, its successors and assigns, any facts known to us respecting this invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to this invention in said assignee, its successors or assigns, execute all divisional, continuation, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for this invention in the United States and any foreign country, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by assignees, its successors and assigns.

We hereby authorize the registered practioners of Hogan & Hartson LLP to insert here in parentheses (Application number \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_) the application number and filing date when/if known.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands.

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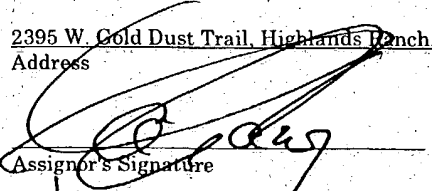
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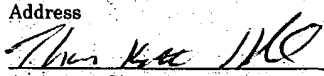
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